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In re Patent Application of:

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Corresponding Nucleic Acids and  
Proteins, and Diagnostic and  
Therapeutic Uses Thereof

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**APPLICATION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.705(b)**

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Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the Patent Term Adjustment indicated on page 3 of Form PTOL-85 (i.e., Determination of Patent Term Adjustment under 35 U.S.C. 154(b)), which Form PTOL-85 was mailed October 8, 2008. Applicant herein applies for an adjustment of the patent term due to, at least, to a delay on the part of the Patent Office in issuance of the patent. Applicant further submits for consideration, a statement of the facts involved as required under 37 CFR 1.705(b)(2).

The Commissioner is authorized to charge \$200 to the Deposit Account 19-4293 for the petition fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.18(e). Should this fee be in error, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to debit or credit Deposit Account 19-4293.

Respectfully submitted,

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